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CLOUDS ROLLING AWAY.

BRITAIN'S MARVELLOUS SPEED IN MUSTERING A FLEET.

Emperor William Did Not Mean a Threat of War—Friendly Request from America.

On January 8 it was reported in London that Dr. Jameson had been sentenced by the judges at Pretoria to be shot. Also that he would have been shot by a mob on the street, had the Boer commandant not threatened to shoot the first man who raised a rifle.

It was at that date believed that Emperor William's attitude toward Great Britain was deliberate and long and carefully planned. The Ashantee matter and Britain's support of Italy in Abyssinia are supposed to have caused the Emperor's resentment beforehand. To make matters worse between the two countries, it was supposed in London that the reported intention of President Krueger to demand an indemnity of \$2,500,000, on account of Dr. Jameson's raid, was the outcome of the interview the Boer Secretary of State had in Berlin with Emperor William.

Great Britain was determined not to be caught unprepared for war. Orders were sent to Portsmouth, Devonport and Chatham for the immediate commissioning of a flying squadron of warships. It was to consist of the following six vessels: first-class battleships Revenge and Royal Oak, each of 14,500 tons; first-class steel cruisers Gibraltar, 7700 tons, and Thetis, 7350 tons, and the second-class steel cruisers Charybdis and Hermione, each 4360 tons. This squadron was to be ready for sea within six days, and later news shows it was ready a day earlier.

In addition Admiral Sir Frederick Geo. Denham Bedford, commanding the Cape of Good Hope and West Africa station, was ordered to proceed to Delagoa Bay, on Board the flagship St. George, a first class steel cruiser of the same tonnage and equipment as the Gibraltar. She was on her way there, accompanied by another cruiser, before the orders were made public in England. Admiral Bedford was instructed to report immediately what additional ships were necessary to reinforce his squadron and they would be sent him as promptly as possible. At the same time the greatest activity became manifest in the dockyards, and the Naval Reserve lists were being prepared for an emergency. The military authorities no longer attempted to conceal the fact that they were preparing for the possibility of war.

A dispatch to the Times from Berlin said it was explained that the intention of Germany to send troops to the Transvaal was only for the protection of German residents, that no arrangement had been made previously with Portugal and, after hearing that Dr. Jameson had started, Germany only had time to telegraph an explanation of intended action to Lisbon. The news of Dr. Jameson's defeat arrived before Portugal had time to reply.

The London Chronicle had it upon authority that the German Council did not fully approve of Emperor William's telegraphing to President Krueger, but the Emperor insisted upon having his own way, and handed the message himself to the telegraph bureau, ordering that a copy of it be imparted to the semi-official journals.

On the 10th it was announced that a second squadron was to be commissioned, and the combined fleet thus mobilized would form the most powerful one ever put afloat. It would consist of eight battleships and cruisers, with fifteen torpedo-boat catchers, and the number might be increased.

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THE VENEZUELA MATTER

UNITED STATES AND GREAT BRITAIN COMING TO TERMS.

Arbitration Resolution in Congress—The London Times Wants Cleveland to Give Crespo a Hint.

Washington, Jan. 11.—Representative Towne, of Minnesota, today, presented a resolution directing the Foreign Affairs Committee to report on the advantage and practicability of the establishment of a permanent court of international arbitration, representing the United States and the British Empire, with jurisdiction extending to all controversies between the two governments, except those involving the honor or the autonomy of one of the parties. Also a resolution directing the President, if not incompatible with public interests, to enter into negotiations with Great Britain, with a view to the speedy and amicable adjustment of the definite location of the boundary line between this country and the possessions of Great Britain from Lake Superior to the Lake of the Woods. Both resolutions were referred to the Foreign Affairs Committee.

London, Jan. 13.—The Westminster Gazette, this afternoon, touching upon the misunderstanding between Great Britain and the United States, says it sees a distinct break in the clouds, and hopes that a satisfactory settlement to Great Britain will be effected with Venezuela direct, and intimates that the Brazilian Minister is closely identified with the last proposed solution of the controversy.

London, Jan. 14.—An editorial in the Times this morning suggests that a strong hint from the United States to President Crespo would be opportune, to convince him of the grotesqueness of the idea that America will support any demands Venezuela chooses to make. "England," says the Times, "is willing for a direct settlement, but Venezuela must take the initiative. The obvious course is for Venezuela to ask the United States to place her once more in communication with Great Britain. If President Cleveland acceded to such a request, it would go far to restore the feelings of amity that subsisted between England and the United States prior to his Message. We are gratified at the spirit displayed by America in face of Germany's attitude and it is remarkably encouraging that Washington sought England's good offices in the Transvaal."

The Chronicle says: "There is reason to believe that England will endeavor to resume negotiations with Venezuela on the basis of a consideration of the rights to the settled districts lying between British Guiana and Venezuela. The question of the actual line of demarcation would be made subordinate to preliminary investigation as to the settlement."

BELFAST, January 14.—A meeting of the Chamber of Commerce was held today which approved the draft of a letter to the New York Chamber of Commerce in the sense of the proposal of the New York Chamber for the settlement for the Venezuelan question.

Symptoms—"No," he said firmly, "no more beer for me. That last glass took too firm a hold." "Why, you don't show it." "Mebbe I don't, outwardly; but I know when I get to enjoying hearing that band playing Wagner I'm due to stop."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Auntie—Well, Effie, did you enjoy your party last night? Effie—Very much, thank you, Auntie. Auntie—And I suppose mamma was there to look after you? Effie—Oh, no. Mamma and I don't belong to the same set!—Punch.

SATURDAY'S FIELD DAY.

A SUCCESSFUL MEETING BUT THE ATTENDANCE WAS LIGHT.

Interest and Betting Both Centered on the Match Race Between Billy C. and Confederate.

The attendance at Saturday's Field Day of the Honolulu Athletic Association was only fair, although quite a number visited the track later in the afternoon to witness the match race between Billy C. and Confederate. Those who did go out to Kapiolani Park enjoyed a very fair afternoon's sport. Some of the events were tame but others exciting enough to please any body.

At 2 o'clock the riders in the one-mile novelty bicycle race were called up. They were G. A. Martin, Sam Johnson, P. Lishman, Chas. Williams, F. Damon and R. Southgate, but the race from start to finish was between Martin and Lishman, the former winning by less than a yard. Time 3:24 1-5.

The 100-yard handicap running race was won by W. C. Cummings, E. Hapai second. Time 10 3-5.

The half-mile boys bicycle handicap looked as if it belonged to A. B. Giles, but Fred Lauka put on a spurt about fifty yards from the post and won easily in 1:25 2-5.

The quarter-mile handicap running race was won easily by Tom Pryce in 54 2-5 seconds.

The one-mile handicap bicycle race brought out all the crack riders. It was won by Angus who finished a yard ahead of Dexter and three of Giles. The finish was hotly contested. Time 1:14 2-5.

The running high jump handicap went to E. Hapai, with 5 feet 2 inches, which breaks the Hawaiian record.

The three minute class one-mile bicycle race was won by F. Damon in 2:45 3-5, to the surprise of everyone.

The 220 yard handicap running race was won easily by E. Hapai in 24 3-5 seconds, with J. Spencer second.

The half-mile handicap running race was won by George Clark in 2:18 4-5, B. F. Beardmore second.

The one-mile bicycle handicap turned out to be a surprise, as the good riders were all left away in the rear by P. Lishman and F. Damon, who had 67 yards start. The race at the finish between these two was very close, but Lishman crossed the wire first in 2:25.

The 120-yard hurdle handicap went to H. Hapai in 18 2-5 seconds.

The running broad jump took up some time. There were three entries, E. Hapai allowing the other two ten inches. His best jump was 18 feet 9 1-2 inches, but W. Cummings won the match with 18 feet 4 inches.

The one-mile novelty bicycle race was won by Ruby Dexter, who defeated Angus by a magnificent spurt at the wire. This was a race in which the combination did not work to perfection. The time was 2:42 1-5. In the first three quarters Giles was ahead, the time being: First quarter .43; second 1:20; third 2:02 1-5.

In the one mile handicap running race only four men showed up. It was an easy victory for W. Chamberlain, with B. F. Beardmore second. Time 5:34 2-5.

The three mile lap bicycle race created considerable interest; three points being allowed the winner of each lap, two to the second and one to the third. Angus was first in each lap, the yellow combination shutting out Dexter each time at the wire. Time 9:03 2-5.

The first heat in the match race between Billy C. and Confederate was next on the program, and the horses were sent off at the first attempt by starter Wilson. Captain

Tripp, Seeley Shaw and Captain Griffiths acted as judges for the race. Billy C. took the lead at the start and maintained it to the end, beating Confederate at the wire by a length. Time .52. The second heat was a repetition of the first, Billy C. crossing the wire half a length ahead. Both heats were hotly contested from beginning to end, and the result shows the Cornell horse to be the better of the two.

The prize for putting the 16th shot was taken by Tom Pryce, who threw it 27 feet 7 inches.

In the half-mile scrub horse race there were eleven entries, Harold Dillingham's Langford Jr. winning easily in 58 seconds. This horse was subsequently matched against W. T. Monsarrat's Shenandoah, the latter winning.

The Cuban War.

Havana, Jan. 14.—The most exciting news from the front this morning was received about noon and was in a shape which prevented its accuracy from being denied. The sound of continued artillery firing was heard south of Rincon, not far from Belfuel, the town which was attacked by the insurgents yesterday, with the result that according to the official statement of the affair, they were forced to retreat after a heroic resistance on the part of the Government force defending that place, the battle lasting, it is claimed, five hours. But it is admitted that the insurgents plundered stores in the outlying streets of Belfuel, burned a number of houses, and destroyed the railroad depot by fire.

LATEST NEWS NOTES.

Called from Canadian Exchanges by the Warrenton.

Premier Bowell of Canada only wanted one more day to reorganize his Cabinet. All his former colleagues excepting Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper had consented to return. It was rumored that Sir Charles, father of Sir Charles Hibbert and Canadian Agent General in London, would enter the Cabinet, but that Sir Mackenzie Bowell would remain Premier.

General elections to come off in Manitoba on the 15th for the Provincial Legislature excited much interest. It was thought certain Premier Greenway would be sustained in power.

The American commission on deep waterways from the Great Lakes to the Atlantic is busily at work in Detroit. The Canadian commission was expected there within a week. The inference is that the United States commissioners will favor a route via New York and the Hudson River, while the Canadian members will favor the Quebec route.

Christopher W. Bunting, a veteran editor of Ottawa, is dead at the age of 58.

The annual report of the regatta committee of the New York Yacht Club refutes the charges of Lord Dunraven regarding the America cup contest.

The heat at Sydney on the 14th was terrific, reaching the highest point on record. There were many deaths from sunstroke.

BUENOS AYRES, Jan. 14.—The Chilean Government asks European bankers to advance to it £2,000,000 sterling, pending the floating of a projected loan of £4,000,000.

"Well, good-by, and remember me to your brother; by the way, was he much hurt in that trap accident? "Hurt? I should think not. Horse trod on his face, and it's improved his looks wonderfully."—London Pick-Me-Up.

Johnny—Did you get hurt at the lodge Saturday night, papa? Papa—No, Johnny; why do you ask? Johnny—'Cause I heard Mr. Johnson say you were about half shot.—New York Truth.

MEREDITH'S OLD COAT.

FIRST PRESENTATION OF MR. ALLDERDICE'S COMEDY.

Independence Hall Crowded and the Play Well Received—Benefit of Kawaiaha Church.

As previously stated, all the seats in Independence Park hall were sold in advance for the amateur performance on Saturday night. The weather being fine, therefore, it is unnecessary to say that the place was crowded. In the construction of the temporary stage and mounting of the play there was nothing left to be desired, but enjoyment of the performance was somewhat detracted from by the level floor of the hall. It was an illustration of the need of restoring the burned opera house.

"Meredith's Old Coat" is the title of the comedy presented, and its author is Mr. Allderdice of the U. S. S. Bennington, who took a leading character in the cast. The plot is built upon the disappearance of an old coat belonging to the junior member of the law firm of Brown & Meredith. Before the garment went missing the senior member had it on by mistake long enough to place an important document in a pocket, while its owner similarly disposed of two \$500 bills that he had borrowed from his partner to pay the expenses of his coming marriage to Ethel Wood. An Irish servant girl, who tended the office, went through the pockets and found the money. Her astonishment at finding so much wealth thus carelessly deposited was not, however, greater than her honesty and she was just returning the bills when a knock was heard on the door. In her flurry she failed to find the pocket quickly enough, so she hastily stowed the money away in her own clothes to await a better opportunity. By and by Ethel Wood came in and spirited the coat away to serve as a pattern for making a smoking jacket for her affianced. Lieutenant Hartwell had been shown by Meredith to a dressing room, where he could dress and shave in preparation for a dinner party. He was not known to any of the other people excepting Gwendolen Wood, to whom he had been engaged for three days two years previously. Inadvertently showing himself in the office before his toilet was completed, besides incidentally furnishing much amusement he fell under suspicion as thief of the coat through information given to the detectives. An unsealed letter left in the coat by Meredith was addressed on the envelope to Mrs. George Meredith, Antigua, W. I. This missive falling into the hands of Ethel, her engagement to Meredith breaks up in a violent storm, in which the fiancée gives her lover no chance for an explanation. An amusing incident in the play is the joining of old man Wood, after deceitful maneuvers to put Mrs. Wood off the track, in a champagne supper with three ballet girls, the other male roysterers being Brown the lawyer and Lieut. Hartwell. The fun of it was that Wood had only the same day, at the supposed desire of his wife, stormily refused the hand of his daughter Gwendolen to the lieutenant on account of the latter's bad habits. In the denouement the coat has come back, Bridget gets a chance to slip the \$1000 back into a pocket of it, and there are explanations that serve to repair the broken engagements. With the foregoing synopsis it is only necessary to give the cast of characters as follows for showing everybody's place in the play: